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Tsinan.
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Puchow.
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PLAN OF TOWN, PERAK.

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“ “ and all others not abrogated.

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upon the redemption of subsidiary coins at their par value. They take them, as they do other coins, for what they will fetch in the open market. Japanese coins, inferior in intrinsic value to our own, circulate freely in the north of China, where the people who take them cannot be expected to rely on any means of getting them redeemed in Japan. It is the honour to be, Sir, your most obedient servant,

A. LISTER, Treasurer,
The Honourable F. Stewart, Acting Colonial Secretary, &c., &c.

Trinity, Hongkong, 17th May, 1887.

Sir—I have the honour to inform you that the Crown Agents may be directed to obtain and forward to this Colony \$150,000 worth of Subsidy Silver Coins in the following proportions:—

20 Cents pieces, 100.

5 " " 90.

Copper " " 90.

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COLONIAL SECRETARY'S MINUTE.

Report from Treasurer submitted for His Excellency's consideration. I enclose a copy of it will be submitted to the Secretary of State.

FREDERICK STEWART.

17th February, 1888.

GOVERNOR'S MINUTE.

Yes: saying that I concur with his recommendation. The only doubt I have on the subject of small coins is whether the amount obtained should be equal each quarter. I understand from Mr. Jackson the other day that the demand is far greater at the Chinese New Year, and the question therefore suggests itself whether the amount obtained should not be, say, 20 per cent. more. I have not yet had time to consider this, but I will do so as soon as possible.

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SUPREME COURT.

7th March.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BEFORE MR. A. J. LEITCH, ACTING PLEASING JUDGE.

TO KAI Y. MOK LAI CHU, \$200.

Mr. Caldwell appeared for the plaintiff, and the Crown Solicitor (Mr. A. B. Johnson) for the defendant.

The following judgment in this suit was delivered by his Lordship yesterday morning:—

The facts in this case are short and simple. By Section 2 of the Public Gambling Amendment Ordinance, 1876, the word "gambling" includes amongst others the lottery known as "poker-pot." By Section 3, my party were to keep up a sum not exceeding \$200 on conviction.

By Section 8 of the same Ordinance, section 17 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1858, is "to apply to the Public Gambling Amendment Ordinance 1876" and in lieu of the words "No. 14 of 1844" in the said section 17 "No. 9 of 1876" is substituted. Section 17 of the Ordinance No. 7 of 1858 is as follows:—

"Section 17.—That any person who keeps up a sum not exceeding \$200 on conviction

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Hongkong, 26th February, 1888. [143]GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE
ASSURANCE COMPANY.THE Undersigned having been appointed
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Hongkong, 1st April, 1888. [168]NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE
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Hongkong, 27th March, 1888. [18]

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JAS. B. COUGH.
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Hongkong, 16th July, 1887. [19]

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Hongkong, 9th May, 1881. [18]

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RISKS at Current Rates.PUSTAU & CO.,
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Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. [167]

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Secretary.HEAD OFFICE—No. 2, Queen's Road West,
Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. [783]NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE
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